

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ATOMIC ENERGY
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:716
ANSWERED ON:15.05.2002
URANIUM SMUGGLING
ALE NARENDRA

Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of cases of uranium smuggling detected during each of the last three years, year-wise, State-wise;
- (b) the number of cases filed in the courts and persons prosecuted during the above mentioned period, State- wise; and
- (c) the steps proposed to be taken to prevent the recurrence of uranium smuggling activities?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE)

- (a) No case of Uranium smuggling has been detected during the last 3 years.
- (b) & (c) Do not arise.